

ST ANTHONY'S PARISH

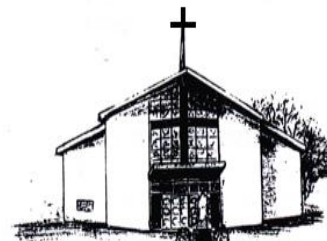
NEWSLETTER

20th/21st April, 2024

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Church Opening Hours

Tuesday to Friday: 8.30am – 2.30pm

Saturday: 5.15pm – 7.15pm

Sunday: 8am - 10am

Closed Monday

Parish Priest: Fr. Jamie Collins
Chair Parish Council: tba
Parish Secretary: Mrs Noela Nolan
Admin Support Officer: Mrs Leesa Sheridan
Safeguard Rep: Mrs Nicole Rangjiira
School Principal: Mrs Louise Pfinst

Office Hours –

Tuesday to Friday 8.30am- 2.30pm

CLOSED Monday & Weekends

“A Place at the Table for All”

We acknowledge the living culture of the Giabal and Jarowair peoples in the Wakka Wakka speaking area, the traditional custodians of this land.

St Anthony's Parish is committed to the safety, well-being, and dignity of all, especially children and vulnerable adults.

Fourth Sunday of Easter

First Reading – Acts 4:8-12 (*This is the only name by which we can be saved.*)

Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 117 *The stone rejected by the builders has become the corner stone.*

Second Reading – 1 John 3:1-2 (*We shall see God as he is.*)

Gospel Acclamation – *Alleluia, alleluia! I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep, and mine know me. Alleluia!*

Gospel – Luke 10:11-18 (*The good shepherd lays down his life for his sheep.*)

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passwords

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Parish Calendar of Events

April 22 – Liturgy Team meeting

April 23 – OzCare Mass

April 25 – ANZAC DAY – OFFICE CLOSED

May 1 – Social Justice meeting

May 5 – Sacramental Program meeting

May 19 - Sacramental Program meeting & practice

May 28 - CONFIRMATION



Our Parish Prayer List

We hold in prayer and remember those who have died recently: Fr Marty Larsen, Shirley Palmer, Stan Schad, Rissy Rowbotham,

For the Anniversaries of our loved ones: Dermot Dunne, Joyce Penhaligon, Mary (Fawcett) Lee

and for the deceased Priests of the Diocese: Rev Msg Leslie Schuhkraft, Rev Fr John Michael, Rev Fr Lex Herzig, Rev Fr Anthony O'Keefe, Rev Fr Roderick Lynch, Rev Fr Leo O'Donohue, Rev Fr John Concannon, Rev Fr Reginald Prior

We hold in prayer all those who are sick including the following Parishioners: Reg Ashford, Narelle Bailey, Daniel Bell, Trish Buckle, Brian Conrick, Mary Gilligan, Madeline (Sally) Gray, Neville Harris, Rita Irwin, Elsie Kirby, Malcolm Kirby, Mary Logan, Pat Madden, Margaret Pegler, Damian Potter, Trish Ryan, Val Saccasan, Peter Sheridan, Vonnie Sherman, Rod Sleba, Pat Sullivan, Lucy Targato

As well as the following friends & family members: Regina Albion, Wendy Bailey (*Narelle's mum*), Jill Beardsmore, Liz Beduhn, Rachel Bennett, Brian & Hazel Bowtell, baby Tommy Bryant (*Great-grandson of Kevin & Trish Harris*), Rebecca Clayton, Shirley Davies, Roslyn Day, Marie Deane and Yvonne Gay, Lil Dolan, (Margaret Dunlop's sisters), Denis Dwan, Sr Zoe (*Christina*) Fitzpatrick (PBM), Bruce Gardiner (*Brisbane*), Mary Gleeson, Gabby Hanlon (*Marie Heslop's niece*), Neville Harris (*Kevin's brother*), Ralph Hickey, Jim & Nicholas Horder, Lindsay Jones, Wayne Kirkland, Ann Johnson, Kye Johnson (*Chris Gwydir's grandson*), Carmelita Kruger, Stephen Mackenzie (*Pam Hahn's son*), Roz Martin, Brendan Middleton, Frank Miller, Sir Frank Moore (*Carol Ryall's brother*), Hanna Muir (*Brisbane*), Paul Murphy (*Pat's son*), Peter Nolan (*Rockhampton*), Neil O'Connor, Paul Park, Kevin Schick (*Val's brother*), Sally Sippel, Shane Schick (*Gail's son*), Silba Serem, Harley Stewart, Neil Syme, Brian Thomson, Denis & Ruth Volter, Kevin Wallace, Geoffrey Wells, Michael Wells, Martin Yong

Parish Milestones

Birthdays and Anniversaries for April –

David Tutty (65 on 25th), Ronni Adhil, Anne Roche, Veronica BayohHebron, Martin Tek, Cath Donohoe, Margaret Waters, Pat Madden, Elaine Duggan, Nancy Adhil all celebrate their birthdays.

Jack & Joan Phelan (70 yrs on 28th), Denis & Trish Morrison (52), Trevor & Marg Wyllie (44),

Tom & Helen Warren (57), Graham & Elizabeth Woods celebrate their wedding Anniversary.

Don't forget to let us know the date of your birthday or wedding anniversary or dob-in your spouse. 😊



PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS	PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE MEMBERS	PARISH CO-ORDINATING TEAM
Fr Jamie Louise Pfingst Nicole Rangiira Kathy Reedy Bob Frost Mary O'Brien	Tony Meldon - Chair Fr Jamie Tom Warren Trevor Wyllie Peter Hanna Keith Shepherd Trish Zeller Regina Ryan Noela Nolan	Fr Jamie Celia Warr Tim Fitzgerald Lloyd Bailey <i>Thank you to all who take on these roles in the governance of our parish.</i>



St Anthony's – Friday Morning Mass is live-streamed weekly at 9.15am via our web page or Facebook link. **Can be watched again later!**

The Swag: NEW Autumn edn available in the foyer - \$1

Majellan Magazine: Available in the foyer - \$4ea

Catholic Leader: Available by subscription only.

Adoration: 1st Friday monthly at 9.45am (after Mass)

Social Justice Group: Meet 1st Wednesday monthly at 5pm (except Dec/Jan)

Friendship Group: Meet 3rd Tuesday of the month at 10am in the Community Centre (except Dec/Jan).

Gospel Discussion Group: Meet at 10am each Wednesday in the Community Centre. All welcome.

Parish Coordinating Team: Meet each Wednesday.

Circle Dancing: 1.30pm Wednesday during school term.

Prayer of the Week:



Prayer for Peace

God of peace and justice,
We pray for wisdom for the leaders of all nations,
that they may promote the freedom and dignity
of all people in their care,
placing justice and quality of life above
political expediency, wealth and power.
We ask all this in the name of Jesus, the Good Shepherd,
Amen

Social Justice News

Social Justice Thought for the Week:

Vatican's Ramadan message a call to work together for world peace

The Dicastery for Interreligious Dialogue has released its annual message for the Islamic month of Ramadan, urging all religious believers to extinguish “the fires of hatred, violence and war, and instead light the gentle candle of peace”. Source: *Vatican News*. The increasing number of conflicts worldwide has led the dicastery to focus on the theme of working for peace in the message addressed to “our Muslim brothers and sisters”.

The message, published on last Friday, dwells on the causes of conflicts by identifying the continued production and trade of arms as the main motive, which is accompanied by the “perennial human desire for domination, geo-political ambitions and economic interests”.

While many suffer “grievously from the devastating effects,” it notes, there are also some who “cynically rejoice in the great economic profit deriving from this immoral commerce.” It underscores this point by quoting Pope Francis, who once described this as “dipping a morsel of bread in the blood of our brother.”

“The desire for peace and security is profoundly rooted in the soul of every person of good will”.

It notes that the destruction of infrastructure and property makes life hopelessly difficult, if not impossible, and highlight the troubling plight of the displaced and refugees forced to flee due to wars.

The message reiterates that “every war is fratricide, useless, senseless, and dark” and that “in war, everyone loses.”

It concludes with an exhortation to look to the Almighty as the God of peace, the source of peace, and while peace is a divine gift, it is also the fruit of human efforts. It must be established and preserved.

(By Antonella Palermo, *Vatican News*) Adapted.



A woman prays during the holy month of Ramadan in Baghdad (CNS/Saba Kareem, Reuters)

On behalf of the Dignity Project, I would just like to send you our heartfelt thanks for your support of our advocacy for a review of the Migration Amendment (Removals and other Measures) Bill 2024.

The parishioners of St Anthony's responded so warmly and openly to the information and request for support. We are indebted to you all for your ongoing support for this vulnerable group within our community.

Moira Boyle

(more copies of handout are available in the foyer)



Laurie Reedy Collection: The next collection for the fund, which supports refugees and needy families in our local area, will be held 27/28 April.

Next meeting Wednesday, 1st May at 5pm in Parish Office.

There are bottles of Easter Water in the Church foyer if anyone would like a bottle.

Parish News

St Anthony's St Vincent de Paul Society

Term 2 Sew & Chat

You are welcome to join the Term 2 sewing sisters who are continuing with Lamyaa & Gita on

- 26th April
- 3rd May (10th May Mothers' Day, no sewing)
- 17th, 24th 31st May and
- 7th June

At St Anthony's Community Centre, 12.30 to 2.30pm

Use our sewing machines, share afternoon tea whilst doing your own sewing projects.

For more information call 0407039290

Kind regards

Gita

Planned Giving:

It is almost time to order envelopes for those who currently use the envelope system for their weekly giving to the parish. If you would like to join our Planned Giving program, please contact Noela at the Parish Office asap. If you are currently using envelopes and would like to change to Direct Debit, so you don't need to rummage for cash each weekend, please also speak to Noela to arrange for this. Please give some serious thought to your mode of giving as envelopes need to be ordered after Easter and we don't want to order any more than necessary, as the cost appears to be rising each year (like everything else I guess). Thanks



A SHEPHERD FOR ALL SEASONS



During the week I attended a Vigil for a funeral to be held the following day at St. Stephen's Cathedral in Brisbane.

The funeral was for Fr. Marty Larsen, one of the younger priests of the Archdiocese of Brisbane.

Fr. Marty was probably around ten years younger than myself. He came to the seminary a couple of years after I had commenced there.

Originating in Bundaberg but arriving at the Seminary via Toowoomba, he was going to be a priest for our Diocese. However, after a period of discernment he decided to leave the seminary and seek a career in teaching.

Fundamentally a very caring person, Marty's calling remained with the ordained ministry, and he returned to the seminary some years later and was ordained for the Archdiocese of Brisbane ten years ago.

Fr. Marty ministered in a couple of parishes as well as in the Archdiocesan Vocations ministry. It was there where I met up with Fr. Marty once again. I was Vocations Director for around sixteen years, with Fr. Michael Cooney, well-known here at St. Anthony's.

We were both shocked and saddened to hear of Fr. Marty's untimely death last weekend. It appears Marty sustained a fall in the days prior and did not recover from his injuries. I ask that you keep Marty and his family in your prayers at this time and for all who have been grieved by his passing.

Fr. Marty was a wonderful character, full of joy and colour, youthful exuberance and at times, naiveite. He was fun, energising and engaging, quirky and unique. A real reminder on this



Good Shepherd Sunday that shepherds, do indeed come in all shapes, sizes and personalities.

A senior priest who worked with Marty said of him: "The white robed messenger of the first Easter has many companions. For this we are grateful". He will be sadly missed by the clergy and parishioners of the Archdiocese, who knew him well, his mum who still lives in Toowoomba, and his family, including his brothers, as Marty was one of triplets.

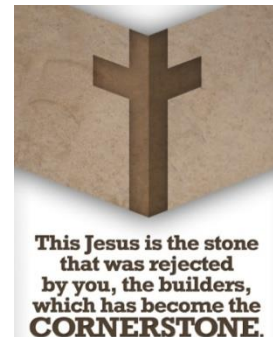
Fr Jamie

Scripture Readings – Fourth Sunday of Easter

First Reading – Acts 4:8-12

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Peter said: 'Rulers of the people, and elders! If you are questioning us today about an act of kindness to a cripple, and asking us how the cripple was healed, then I am glad to tell you all, and would indeed be glad to tell the whole people of Israel, that it was by the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene, the one you crucified, whom God raised from the dead, by this name and by no other that this person is able to stand up perfectly healthy, here in your presence, today. This is the stone rejected by you the builders, but which has proved to be the keystone. For of all the names in the world given to human beings, this is the only one by which we can be saved.'

The Word of God.



Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 117 *The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.*

Give thanks to our God who is good, whose love has no end. It is better to take refuge in God than to trust in human beings: it is better to take refuge in God than to trust in rulers. [R]

I will thank you for you have given answer and you are my saviour. The stone which the builders rejected has become the corner stone. This is the work of our God, a marvel in our eyes. [R]

Blessed in the name of our God is the one who comes. We bless you from the house of our God; I will thank you for you have given answer and you are my saviour. Give thanks to God who is good, whose love has no end. [R]

Second Reading – 1 John 3:1-2

Think of the love that God has lavished on us, by letting us be called God's children; and that is what we are. Because the world refused to acknowledge God, therefore it does not acknowledge us.

My dear people, we are already the children of God but what we are to be in the future has not yet been revealed; all we know is, that when it is revealed we shall be like God because we shall see God as God really is.

The Word of God.

Gospel Acclamation –

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep, and mine know me.

Alleluia!

Gospel – John 10:11-18

Jesus said:

'I am the good shepherd:

good shepherds lay down their lives for their sheep.

The hirelings, since they are not the shepherds and the sheep do not belong to them,

abandon the sheep and run away as soon as they see a wolf coming,

and then the wolf attacks and scatters the sheep;

this is because they are hirelings and have no concern for the sheep.

'I am the good shepherd; I know my own and my own know me,

just as God, who sent me, knows me and I know God; and I lay down my life for my sheep.

And there are other sheep I have that are not of this fold,

and these I have to lead as well.

They too will listen to my voice, and there will be only one flock, and one shepherd.

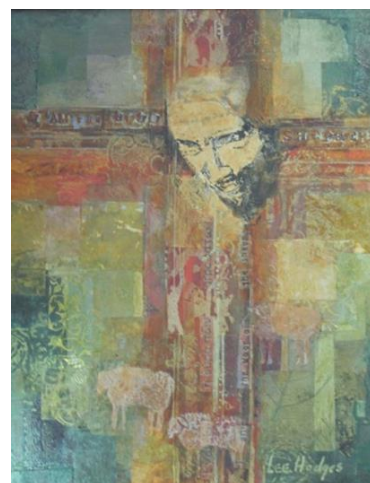
'God loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again.

No one takes it from me; I lay it down of my own free will, and as it is in my power to lay it down,

so it is in my power to take it up again;

and this is the command I have been given by the One who sent me.'

The Gospel of the Lord.



Reflection By Pope St John Paul II 2 May 1982



Jesus said to the apostles: "Peace be with you! As the Father sent me, I also send you...Receive the Holy Spirit" (Jn 20:21).

These words Christ spoke on the evening of the first day after the Sabbath. They were the first that the apostles heard from the mouth of the Risen One.

In these words Christ manifested himself as the Good Shepherd and at the same time as the Prince of Shepherds. He is the Good Shepherd, because he says: "Receive the Holy Spirit", the invisible food and strengthening of souls. He is the Prince of Shepherds, because he says: "I also send you...".

On today's Sunday the Church prays in particular for priestly vocations.

Following the instructions of his Master, he prays to the Lord of the harvest to send workers for his harvest" (cf. Mt 9.38; Lk 10.2).

Returning to the cenacle on the day of the resurrection, the Church prays that the Good Shepherd sends and continues to send the new hosts of his disciples on this mission, which he himself received from the Father.

The Church prays: – so that this invitation reaches many young hearts: "Receive the Holy Spirit; whose sins you forgive will be forgiven, and whose sins you will not forgive, they will remain unforgiven" (Jn 20,22-23); – so that in the power of the Holy Spirit the servants of Christ and the administrators of the mysteries of God may be born among all the peoples and nations of the terrestrial globe.

I report the words of the prayer for Holy Thursday of the Year of the Lord 1982:

"This spousal love of the Redeemer, this saving love of the Spouse, makes all the "hierarchical and charismatic gifts" with which the Holy Spirit "provides for and directs" the Church fruitful. Is it permissible, Lord, for us to doubt this love of yours? Can anyone who allows himself to be guided by a living faith in the Founder of the Church doubt this love, to which the Church owes all its spiritual vitality?

It is perhaps legitimate to doubt – that you can and wish to give your Church true "administrators of the mysteries of God", and, above all, true ministers of the Eucharist? – that you can and wish to reawaken in the souls of men, especially young people, the charism of priestly service, as it has been welcomed and implemented in the tradition of the Church? – that you can and wish to reawaken in these souls, together with the aspiration to the priesthood, the availability for the gift of celibacy for the Kingdom of Heaven, which in the past entire generations of priests of the Catholic Church have given and still give proof of?

Regina caeli, laetare! O Mother of the Risen One, allow us to rejoice in the ever new gifts of the Paschal mystery! Beg them for us from Eternal and Merciful Love! When Christ says: "Receive the Holy Spirit", those called know how to accept this ineffable Gift.



Prayers of the Faithful – Fourth Sunday of Easter GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY

PRESIDER: Dear friends, our Good Shepherd Jesus has laid open the way to a life of grace and glory. Following his example, let us embrace the world with love as we pray.

We pray for all who call in faith on the name of Jesus, that they will truly become one body, one spirit, in Christ.
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for pastors and ministers of the gospel, that they will gladly care for the flock entrusted to them and enjoy their love and respect.
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for all who are prayerfully discerning a call to ministry, that they will be well guided by wise mentors.
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for aid workers and peace negotiators in every place of brutal bloodshed, that their combined efforts will bring relief to those who are overwhelmed with pain and misery, especially in Ukraine and the Holy Land.
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for the victims of the stabbing attacks in Sydney during the last week, that all who have been affected will find healing and peace.
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for Jewish believers preparing to celebrate Passover, that they will be a leaven of peace, freedom and justice for all people on earth.
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for the people of Australia and New Zealand, that this week's Anzac Day services will draw everyone together in remembrance, reconciliation and hope.
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for the recently deceased **Shirley Palmer, Stan Schad, Rissy Rowbotham**; and for those whose anniversary of death occurs around this time **Joyce Penhaligon, Mary (Fawcett) Lee**; that they will see God face to face and rejoice with the saints forever.
Lord, hear our prayer.

PRESIDER: Holy God and Father of Jesus, your Son laid down his life out of love for you and for us. Set us free to put our lives at the service of all. We ask this through Christ, our risen Lord.

Diocesan News



*Mission: Transform Lives
theirs...and yours*

Have you been considering whether an overseas professional placement with Palms is for you? Wanting to share your skills with communities in the Pacific, Asia or Africa to help develop self-reliance and sustainable solutions to poverty?

Come to Palms' [Discovery information session](#) at Cathedral Centre on **26 April**.

Meet our director Soraya and former Palms participants to find out more about [Assignments Aboard](#).

Venue: Catholic Social Justice Commission, Cathedral Centre, (corner of Neil & Lawrence Sts).

Date: Friday **26th April 2024** **Time:** 5:30pm to 6:30pm

For further info please call 02 9560 5333 or email palms@palms.org.au



Retirement Celebration: Fr Jack MacGinley

Date: Sunday **28th April** *Time:* 10:00am *Where:* St Mary of the Angels Church, Tara

All are welcome to come celebrate with Fr Jack MacGinley as he retires from Tara Parish and active ministry. The community are thankful for Fr Jack's service to Tara and surrounds for over 39 years. Fr Jack will celebrate his final Mass at Tara which will be followed by refreshments at the undercover basketball area at the school (please bring a plate of finger food to share).

Online Movie: Queen of The Sun

Date: **30th April** *Time:* 6:00pm *Where:* Online via Zoom

Join Catholic Earthcare for their next online screening. The film is "Queen of the Sun" and you can watch the trailer here:

<http://www.queenofthesun.com/about/trailer/>

"Queen of the Sun" is a film about the importance of bees and the struggles they are facing around the world with the rise of chemical pesticides and herbicides, as well as colony collapse. Julie Armstrong from Act for Bees will be joining to share a bit about her work and how you can help our pollinators!

To register please head to: <https://caritas.zoom.us/j/tZUvd-urqjkrHdM7OnPn066Wx>



Theatre Night Fundraisers Supporting Local Ministries

Enjoy a performance of "The 39 Steps" by the Toowoomba Repertory Theatre and support the work of **Pastoral Care and SPRED**. "The 39 Steps" is a parody play adapted from the 1915 novel by John Buchan and the 1935 film by Alfred Hitchcock. Mix a Hitchcock masterpiece with a juicy spy novel, add a dash of Monty Python, and you have a fast-paced whodunnit for anyone who loves the magic of theatre. Don't miss this much-loved gem, packed with nonstop laughs, over 150 zany characters (played by a ridiculously talented cast of four), an old-fashioned romance, and a good old spy chase!

Pastoral Care Theatre Night

Date: Tuesday, **30th April** *Time:* 7:30pm

Where: Toowoomba Repertory Theatre, Margaret St Tmba

Tickets \$25 from Pastoral Care Office or ph 4616 6415. Flyers in foyer.

SPRED Theatre Night

Date: Wednesday, **8th May** *Time:* 7:00pm

Where: Toowoomba Repertory Theatre, Margaret St Tmba

Tickets available at SPRED office Cnr Hume & Jellico St 9am – 3.30pm Mon - Thurs

Ph: 4632 8427 / spread@twb.catholic.org.au

Cent Sale for the Missions:

The Missionary Sisters of St Peter Claver are holding a Mother's Day Cent Sale in St Patrick's Cathedral Centre, 123 Neil St on Saturday **11th May**. The doors open at 1.00pm for a 1.30pm start. A delicious afternoon tea will be served, and cost is \$10 which includes 2 free sheets of tickets. Children aged 12 and under are free. There are many excellent prizes and the multi-draw includes a meat tray, fruit and vegetable trays, a flower arrangement and much more. All proceeds go to the Missions. Sisters can be contacted on 4632 1818.

Week Of Prayer for Christian Unity 2024:

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in Australia will be observed in the week between Ascension and Pentecost. This year's theme is "You shall love the Lord your God ...and your neighbour as yourself..." (Luke 10:27)

All are warmly welcome to the following local prayer services.

St Theresa's Church, Cnr Curzon & Campbell Sts Tmba

*Date: Monday, **13th May***

Time: 9:00am

St Anthony's Church

*Date: Tuesday, **14th May***

Time: 7:00pm

Multi-Faith Event: National Peace Conference - Social Flourishing

*Date: **Saturday, 18th May** Time: **9:00am-1:30pm** Where: St Patrick's Cathedral Centre, Neil Street Tmba*

Multi-Faith Multicultural Centre PLLCA is once again hosting a peace conference. The guest speaker is Professor Edwina Pio. She is the Director of Diversity and a Professor of Diversity at Auckland University of Technology, New Zealand.

[Register for free at Humanitix.](#) Flyers in foyer. For more information, please email to events.mfmcc@gmail.com **SPRED**

Save the Date Update: Australian Catholic Communications Congress

As you may be aware, the Australian Catholic Communications Congress is **28-30 August**, in Sydney.

Early bird bookings will open in April. If you're interested in attending, sign up for updates directly to your inbox.

Visit modernmessage.catholic.au to sign up or find out about what the congress is.

Catholic Care are moving!

The office will be closed from Tuesday 26/3/24 and reopen Monday 15/4/24 at their new location 146 Mort Street, Tmba.

Missionary Sisters Of Service (Mss) 80 Years Since Foundation

*Date: **Sunday 14th July** Time: **2:00pm** Where: **St Anthony's Church, Memory St Tmba***

It is with great joy that the MSS Sisters commemorate the 80th anniversary of their foundation in 2024. All are welcome to join the Sisters in the Toowoomba Diocese for Mass, followed by afternoon tea.

To find out more about celebrations across the country and keep up to date with the MSS Sisters, [see their latest newsletter and subscribe.](#)

Project Compassion - Please ensure that Project Compassion boxes and envelopes are returned as soon as you are able so monies can be forwarded to Caritas.



St Patrick's Carnival of Flowers display will be presented to the public this coming **September**. Anyone who would like to assist by growing a shrub or flowering plant is encouraged to do so to enable the Cathedral to put on a wonderful display.

Please let the office know so we can pass your details on to the organising committee at St Pat's.



2024 Toowoomba Carnival of Flowers
St Patrick's Cathedral Floral Display

One Earth
One Community
13-16 September 2024


Sychar Website:

Schedule available now on website –

www.twb.catholic.org.au/ministry/sychar/ Flyers also available in foyer.

The current issue of **Horizons** is out now and is available online here www.twb.catholic.org.au/horizons/ Hard copies in foyer.

PARISH WEEKLY PROGRAM

Date	Readings	Mass	Parish Life
Sunday 21 st April	Fourth Sunday of Easter First Reading: Acts 4:8-12 Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-2 Gospel: John 10:11-18	8.30am	Sunday Mass celebrated by Fr. Michael O'Dea baptism 9.30am Morning Tea
Monday 22 nd April	Monday of the 4 th week of Easter First Reading: Acts 11:1-18 Gospel: John 10:1-10		OFFICE CLOSED 12pm Liturgy Team meeting 4pm SVDP Meeting
Tuesday 23 rd April	Tuesday of the 4 th Week of Easter First Reading: Acts 11:19-26 Gospel: John 10:22-30		10am Ozcare Mass 5.30pm Music Planning meeting
Wednesday 24 th April	Wednesday of the 4 th Week of Easter First Reading: Acts 12:24-13.5 Gospel: John 12:44-50	9.15am	Mass celebrated by Fr. Jamie 10am Gospel Discussion Group 10.30am Coordinating Team meeting
Thursday 25 th April	Anzac Day First Reading: Wisdom 3:1-9 Gospel: John 12: 23-28		ANZAC DAY  OFFICE CLOSED <small>LEST WE FORGET</small>
Friday 26 th April	Saint Mark First Reading: 1 Peter 5:5-14 Gospel: Mark 16:15-20	9.15am	Mass celebrated by Fr. Michael <i>Live-stream</i>
Saturday 27 th April	Saturday of the 4 th Week of Easter First Reading: Acts 13:44-52 Gospel: John 14:7-14	6pm	5.15pm Reconciliation Vigil Mass celebrated by Fr. Jamie
Sunday 28 th April	Fifth Sunday of Easter First Reading: Acts 9:26-31 Second Reading: 1 John 3:18-24 Gospel: John 15:1-8	8.30am	Mass celebrated by Fr. Jamie 9.30am Morning Tea

MINISTERS FOR MASS

Saturday/ Sunday, 27th & 28th April 2024 – Week 4

Please remember to advise Parish Office if unable to attend or find a replacement. Thanks for all you do. ☺

	6pm Vigil Mass	8.30am Mass
Co-ordinator:	Celia Warr & Chris Gwydir	Trish Zeller
Welcomers:	Carol Lovell & Marg Nolan	Tony Meldon, Jan Barsby
Altar Server:	Harlon Fernando	
AV Operator:	Gerald Hicks	David Tutty
Parish Morning Tea:		Nicole Rangiira's team
Readers:	Cherene Brandt & Judy Sheehan	Jan Barsby, Helen Warren
Prayer of the Faithful:	Leandra Fernando	Joan Nugent
Offertory:	Michael & Mary O'Brien	Carol Ryall, Sandra Neale
Minister of Communion:	Ciborium: Carol Lovell Chalice: Regina Ryan & Celia Warr	Ciborium: Sandra Neale Chalice: Marie McAleer, Monica Gundry
Music:	Sr Maria & singers	Anne-Marie Spalding & Singers
Collectors:	Denise Hopwood & Barry Turner	Tom & Helen Warren
Money Counters: This Week – 21st April Next Week - 28th April	Brenda Thomas & Tony Meldon Jenn Stephens & Tony Meldon	Collections – 14th April Planned Giving - \$ 660.00 Loose - \$ 749.50 DD March - \$2,111.00

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CHILD SAFE PARISH

We are a Child Safe Parish: all children, young persons and vulnerable adults visiting have a right to feel safe and be safe.

If you are concerned for any form of abuse that is immediate you should call 000;

a significant risk or harm, whether or not you have formed this belief on reasonable ground,

you should immediately raise your concerns with our Parish Child Safety Officer – **Nicole Rangiira 0437 382 408.**

Children leaving the Church during Mass are to be accompanied by an adult. Thank you.